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TWO-MILE RELAY; THREE-CORNERED FOR G. W. U. MEET

Hatchettes, Virginia,
Hopkins Cross Coun-
try Run.

As a result of a personal trip to Charlottesville and Baltimore during the past week, Manager Fleming is able to announce with certainty a three-cornered two-mile relay race between the varsity teams of Virginia, Johns Hopkins, and George Washington as a feature event of the George Washington indoor games at Convention Hall, January 25.

Two years ago George Washington defeated Virginia in a two-mile race and last year Virginia turned the tables and beat the Hatchettes handsomely in a one-mile event. Virginia has some rattling good half milers this year and they are confident they are good enough to finish in front of the local and Baltimore teams.

Innovation for Hopkins.

The make-up of the Johns Hopkins team will be determined only after the hardest kind of competition. Hopkins' favorite distance has always been one mile and it has turned out some fast teams at that distance.

A two-mile race is practically an innovation at the Baltimore Institution, but it always has a number of good half milers in the open events.

The leading candidates for the team at George Washington are Captain Gill, Claggett, Falconer, Gunning, and Calder. However, there is such a large amount of new material at the Hatchette institution it would not be surprising to see some of the newcomers gain the coveted positions.

Race for Freshmen.

While the George Washington games will mark the first appearance of a two-mile Hopkins relay team in this city, it will also mark the first appearance of a Hopkins one-mile freshman team, which has been matched to run a one-mile relay with the George Washington freshmen. The Hatchettes have always been strong in their freshman races, having twice defeated Georgetown freshmen. With such men as Maxey and White as a nucleus it would seem that the Baltimore youngsters will certainly have to travel some to finish in front.

Manager Fleming is at present in communication with several Northern collegiate and club stars. Several special races are being arranged to accommodate their wishes, and will be announced as soon as the arrangements are completed and their appearance at the meet made certain; it being the policy of those in charge of the meet to advertise no stars unless it is absolutely certain they will appear.

Cross-Country Interest.

The entries for the cross-country run New Year Day are coming in rapidly, not only from local runners, but from nearby points. Johns Hopkins has written Manager Fleming for permission to enter a three-men team, and several individual entries from Baltimore have also been received. From present indications it would seem that this event will be well patronized by local and nearby runners.

YORK ASSOCIATION SWAMPS LOCAL TEAM

Occasional Spurts Aailed
the Washingtonians
Little.

YORK, Pa., Dec. 21.—The York Y. M. C. A. defeated the Washington Y. M. C. A. here tonight in a tri-city game for the second time this season by 32 to 17. The contest was one-sided and was the most decisive victory won by the York team since the league was formed. York excelled in play throughout the game. The visiting team made spurts at intervals but its efforts were not so fruitful because of superior all-around work of its opponents. The Washington players tried goals from long throws, but the floor would not permit the ball to land safely in the baskets.

The passing of York was a feature. Root, Morrison, and Cole, the latter a substitute, played like a veteran. Every play tried was successfully executed. Jones played a star game for the Washington five. The game was roughly played and more exciting than the score indicates.

The summary:
York. Positions. Washington.
Cole. Forward. Williams, Blair Morrison. Forward. May
Root. Center. Jones
Harnes. Guard. Fowler
Kauffman. Guard. Fowler
Goals from field—Root (3), Williams (4), Morrison (4), Kauffman (4), Blair (1), Fowler (1), Williams (1), Jones (2), Jones (1), Fowler (1), Small, York. Timekeeper—Sentz, York. Scorer—Orwig, York.

Y. M. C. A. YOUNGSTERS IN BASKETBALL FIVE

The boys' department of the Young Men's Christian Association has organized a basketball team composed largely of the players of last year's Yankee team and are hard at work preparing for the schedule.

The candidates are under the instruction of Saninino, the crack forward of the Light Infantry team, which was a member of the professional league last year. This man is well versed in every phase of the game and with the men at hand should be able to turn out an aggregation which can uphold the fine record of the Yankee quint last season.

PROBLEM PICTURES OF SPORTING FRATERNITY



PENN TO ENTER TWO CHAMPS IN FEDERAL GAMES

Haskins and Cartmell
Slated to Appear
Here.

That there will be an even number of entries this year than last in the Federal indoor games at Convention Hall on February 15, seems certain from the tone of the letters that are being received from local and out-of-town schools and colleges. Of the colleges, the University of Pennsylvania expects to send down half a dozen men, including her two stars, Cartmell, the intercollegiate champion at 100 and 220 yards, and Haskins, intercollegiate champion cross-country and half-mile champion and record holder in the one-mile run. When Haskins ran the latter distance in 4:30.25 at Cambridge last year, and broke the ten-year-old record and later went out and won the half in 1:57.15, he was pronounced one of the most remarkable performers who had ever competed at an intercollegiate championship. But when he romped away with the cross-country championship at Princeton last month, he was at once recognized as the premier all-round long-distance runner in college ranks in recent years. Haskins a Wonder.

Haskins is an Australian, who has only been running for three years, having been an expert swimmer previous to his advent on the cinder path. Mike Murphy, the famous Pennsylvania trainer, recently predicted that Haskins will again lower the college record for the mile this year, and put the figures inside of 4:20. St. John's College, of Annapolis, will have both a relay team and individual entries in the Federal Games this year. A letter received yesterday from Manager Tarbut states that their relay is almost ready to start, and they have some mighty good men for the handicap events. Richmond College is expected to be represented in the games this year for the first time, and to send up at least half a dozen men. One entry for the grade school championship has already been received. Arthur School, under the leadership of Captain E. M. Slack, has organized a team, and candidates have begun training. Captain Slack will also be in the grade school 50-yard dash. Entries for the Federal Games will close on February 7, with Manager W. G. Stuart, 706 Fourteenth street. Entries blanks will be ready for distribution on January 6.

ATLANTICS' NEW NINE STARTS WORK EARLY

The Atlantic basketball team, which for the past three seasons has been so successful in the Capital City basketball league, will, it is reported, come forth next season under the name of the Brighton Athletic Club. Those who had the team in charge last season have given the task up, and it is the intention of Mr. Hughes, well known in athletic circles here, to take up the managerial burdens of the nine for the coming season. Already Mr. Hughes has gotten down to work and has such men as Knoeky, the crack twirler of last year's Commerce and Labor, and Peake, of the Weiden Athletic Club, of Maryland, on his playing list, besides many of the original Atlantic squad.

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Business Ekes Out Victory in Last Minutes

Team Work of Losers
Superior to High
School's.

Business High's basketball team trounced the fast Reserve five of the Young Men's Christian Association in the latter's gym, score 17 to 15.

The game was hotly contested from the start, and it was not until the last few minutes of play that the decisive goals were made, Gregory, the crack forward of the High School quint, bringing victory by three successive goals from difficult angles. The poor work of the Reserve forwards in basket shooting hampered the team work of the losing five, which was far superior to that displayed by the players from the Orange and Blue school. Zannelli's goal from the center of the field was a feature.

The line-up:
E. H. E. Position. Reserve.
Zannelli. L. F. Allen.
Gregory. R. F. Kingsbury.
Heap. Center. Coley.
Bishop. R. B. Vail.
Mackay. L. B. Hoppe.
Goals—Zannelli 4; Gregory 4; Hoppe 6. Free tosses—Zannelli 2. Referee—Mr. Cass. Time of halves—15 and 20 minutes.

SECOND REGIMENT LOSES BY 29 TO 9

BALTIMORE, Dec. 21.—The Central Y. M. C. A. basketball team won a sweeping victory over the strong Second Regiment of Washington tonight, 29 to 9. The victory came as a surprise to the locals.

There was some little uncertainty whether the game would be played, owing to a misunderstanding of the Washingtonians. They did not leave Washington until 5 o'clock, and the game did not get under way until after 10 o'clock. From the start the Centrals swept all before them. Their attack was fast and their defense invincible. The team work exhibited by Fry, Henderson, and Krieger put the best efforts of the visitors repeatedly to shame. Fry especially distinguished himself by his accurate goal shooting. The line-up:
Central. Position. Second Regt.
Henderson. L. F. Keilher.
Fry. R. F. Bopp.
Krieger. Center. Schlosser.
Roberts. L. B. Reges.
Small, Fredericks. R. B. Earnshaw.
Goals—Fry 9; Henderson 2; Schlosser 2; Grieger, Fredericks, Earnshaw. Goals from field—Fry 3; Schlosser 2; Keilher, Earnshaw. Umpire—Mr. Granger.

HAD TO HAVE HIM.
"I wonder how she ever came to accept him?"
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"Why in the world?"
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WHAT CANTILLON WANTS IS A BASEBALL TEAM, AND NOT SLAB ARTISTS —"Wish" Egan

Kansas City Player Makes Some Real Cutting
Comment on His Future Team Mates.
Prefers His Old Berth.

Ally Egan hiked in from Darkest Wyandotte yesterday afternoon to see the gas lights burning. He is much worried over his baseball prospects. Along with about a regiment of ball players he has a Washington bill of lading attached to him, and that's enough to make anybody worried.

"I was drafted from Kansas City by Cantillon," sighed Egan, "and of course I have to go there. I could go with Indianapolis, and I tell you that I would much prefer playing with a high class team in the American Association than a tail-end in the American League. In the American Association I would have a season nearly two months shorter and it's a big satisfaction to a pitcher to have a club behind him that can win for him once in a while, no matter what league it is in."

The Salary Question.
"If I should be kept in Washington, there's about one chance in a thousand that I would ever get an increase of pay. At the close of the season I might go around to Cantillon and say, 'Joey, I would like to have a raise next season.' He would say to me, 'What's that? A raise? When you only won five games all season and lost sixteen! Well, I should think not.' A fellow could pitch for any other club in the league and work no harder and yet make a good enough showing in the won and lost column to entitle him to a raise."

"Furthermore, pitchers are not what Cantillon needs. Look them over. There are Cass, Patton, Fred Falkenberg, Charlie Smith, Long Tom Hughes, Walter Johnson, and Gehring, a high class lot, and about forty others coming up from the minors. What Cantillon needs is a ball club. One big mistake I figure that he made was letting Charlie Jones go to the Browns. Talk about Birmingham as a thrower, I think Charlie Jones has him beaten to a standstill. He batted .300 last season and played most of the time with injuries. I have heard that George Tebeau owns Milan and that he will not be with Washington very long."

Hopes for the Best, But—
"But, if I have to go to Washington as the cards now read I will have to do, I will work and hope for the best. I think it would please all followers of baseball to see Washington up in the race, as it has proven the best tail-end town a league ever had. It has grown enthusiastic over all sorts of ball clubs put in there, and once when Jake Stahl was managing and the club went to the

BASKETBALL FLAG FOR A. A. U. TEAMS

At a meeting of the championship committee, held at the Y. M. C. A., on last week, the preliminary steps were taken to hold the amateur basketball championship of the South Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union.

The following members of the committee were present: W. C. Thacher, chairman; Thomas Cornelius, of the Central Y. M. C. A., of Baltimore, Md.; Walter A. Cox, Jr., of Baltimore, manager of the Belvideres, and C. E. Beckett, of the Y. M. C. A. C. E. Beckett was elected secretary and treasurer of the committee, and it was arranged to send notices to all clubs in the South Atlantic Association, soliciting entries for the championship. The entries will be \$5.00 for each team, and must accompany entry blanks. A further meeting of the committee will be held shortly after Christmas, 1907. The regular Amateur Athletic Union medals will be given for first, second, and third places.

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McDaniel's Good Ride Lands Angelus First In Preliminary Derby

Beats Out Delaby on Miss Delaney by Short Head.
Cella Makes Killing in Poolrooms on La Soeur.
Ryan Cashes.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 21.—Angelus, the Whitney cast-off, brought down here by Burlew and O'Neill, proved his class when he captured the Preliminary Derby on the City Park track this afternoon in a driving finish with Miss Delaney.

The glory of the victory must be given to McDaniel, who rode the walt out to the last ounce, and by an almost superhuman effort, landed him across the line a winner by the shortest of heads. Miss Delaney ran the best race. Getting off absolutely last, she worked her way up through the bunch, and was in sixth place when she hit the head of the stretch. Delaby used the whip with all his strength and passed all but the leader a sixteenth from the wire. It was a struggle between McDaniel and Delaby. The long drive of Miss Delaney tired her too much, and she was not able to overhaul Angelus.

Rival Stars Scratched.

The race was marred to a certain extent by the scratching of Chapultepec, the hope of the Easterners, and Pinkola, the fast Western flyer. This contest was figured upon as a means of determining the better of the pair. It is hardly probable that they will be seen under colors until a few days before the running of the Southern classics. The value of the purse, \$1,200, was so attractive that six starters were added at post time. They might as well have stayed in their stalls, as all finished out of the money.

The real plunge of the day came in the second race, when La Soeur, which belongs to Louis A. Cella, finished first under the wire, six lengths in front of Bounding Elk. La Soeur was backed by the Cella in the room all over the country, and they cleared up \$50,000 on the victory. La Soeur opened at 9 to 5, but was backed to 3 to 2.

Marbles Causes Howl.

The form displayed by Marbles, Bud May's entrant, which was held at 9 to 10, caused a howl from the form players. Marbles did not show enough speed to beat a fat man up an alley, and finished third from last. Dr. McCluer helped John J. Ryan, of "get-rich-quick" notoriety, to win a nice bet when he captured the closing race of the day. Although held at 4 to 1, Ryan sent a commission of \$5,000 to the track and got on at these odds.

Summaries:

First race—Two-year-olds; five furlongs. Dick Rose, 95 (Delaby), 15 to 1, won; Tea Leaf, 104 (Notter), 5 to 1, second; Salmesaw, 102 (Finn), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:38. Dr. Stovall, McCreedy, Una, Knighthead, Florida, Glen, C. H. Schilling, Blue Dan, Bitter Man, McAtee, Margaret, Busy Boy also ran.

Second race—Selling; two-year-olds; five furlongs. La Soeur, 110 (McDaniel), 6 to 5, won; Bounding Elk, 98 (Hogge), 15 to 1, second; Pat Grues, 106 (Kohn), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:38.25. Keep Mum, Ethel Carr, Padrone, Brown Thistle, and Marbles also ran.

Third race—All ages; six furlongs. Coltness, 107 (Delaby), 9 to 2, won; Adorthea, 102 (Notter), 3 to 5, won; Ralbert, 106 (Ott), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:21. Ray, Dew of Dawn, Blainbridge, Lorraine, Woodlane, and Bucket Brigade also ran.

Fourth race—Preliminary Derby; two-year-olds; six furlongs. Angelus, 103 (McDaniel), 5 to 2, won; Miss Delaney, 104 (Delaby), 5 to 2, second; Banbridge, 103 (Notter), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:21.25. Listerine, Gee Whiz, Tartar Maid, E. T. Shipp, Dew of Dawn, Blainbridge, Lorraine, Woodlane, and Bucket Brigade also ran.

Fifth race—Selling; three-year-olds and up; one and one-sixteenth miles. Mortiboy, 104 (McDaniel), 4 to 1, second; Grenade, 100 (Dyer), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:37.5. Silver Polly, Monacador, and Jungle Imp also ran.

Sixth race—Three-year-olds and up; one and one-fourth miles. Dr. McCluer,

III (Koerner), 4 to 5, won; Tern's Rod, 104 (Sunter), 10 to 1, second; Aggie, 110 (Hennessey), 9 to 2, third. Time, 2:24.5. Fomolucca, Padre, Footlights Favorite, Lady Oakland, Amberjack, Grace Larsen, and Bellevue also ran.

Entries for Monday:

First race—Five and one-half furlongs; purse for all ages. Cuernavaca, 103; Gee Whiz, 103; Bucking Boy, 102; Pedigree, 103; Rexane, 103; Sweetener, 103; Polar Star, 103; Himalaya, 103; Banbridge, 103; Aleatian, 103; Lorrimer, 103; Evelyn, 103; Apple Toddy, 103; Sultan, 103; Divorcee, 103.

Second race—Seven furlongs; selling; for three-year-olds and upward. Okenite, 104; Faust, 107; Zilpanko, 107; Old Honesty, 107; Donna, 108; Little Lighter, 110; Jack Dolan, 112; Jacobite, 112; Pasadena, 115.

Third race—Five and one-half furlongs; purse for all ages. Dew of Dawn, 93; Silver Ball, 93; Pedro, 101; Refined, 101; Bellwether, 101; Hawkama, 101; The Bear, 101; Al Muller, 101; Artful Dodger, 101; Handzara, 101; Lena, 101; Finton, 101; Meadowbreeze, 101; Comedienne, 111; Arch Oldham, 114.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs; purse for three-year-olds and upward. "De Shano, 97; No Quarter, 97; Bonart, 102; Sulu, 102; Tivoli, 102; Abington, 102; "Mr. Peabody, 103; Javaneese, 103; Flowaway, 106; Prytanis, 106; Warner Griswell, 106; Halbard, 106.

Fifth race—Mile and sixteenth; selling; for three-year-olds and upward. "Vaughn, 93; Water Dog, 93; Gold Circle, 93; Katie Powers, 93; Milshora, 93; Lady Oakland, 93; Lady Charade, 100; First Mason, 100; Charlie Thompson, 100; Vincentia, 100; "Amberjack, 100; Trenola, 103; Belle View, 103; Alma Day, 104; Grace Larsen, 104.

MUSCATINES TAKE VIRGINIANS' SCALP

By putting up one of the strongest teams that could be mustered together in Alexandria, the Athletic Association of that town was able to pull through last night in the set-to with the Muscatine, Iowa, quint by 41 to 13 in the latter's favor.

The game was marked by rough work from the start of the referee's whistle until the finish. The Muscatine team, which has just reached town from the way to the South, has been meeting some of the strongest teams in the country in the northern part of the country.

The visitors clearly lived up to their reputation, as the team work displayed was superb, and the goal shooting was nothing short of phenomenal. The visitors use the Western game entirely, every man shooting. The work of Lillibridge at center was the distinctive feature of the game. This man had ten field goals chalked to his credit. Kautz, in right forward, also played a good game, having five field goals and five free throws to his credit. For the losers, Wilkinson was the star, being the only man to corner the ball three times.

Muscatine.	Pos.	Goals.	Free Throws.
Kautz	F. F.	5	5
Fuller	L. F.	1	0
Lillibridge	C.	10	0
Gaues	R. B.	2	0
Williams	L. B.	0	1
Totals		18	5

Alexandria A. A. Pos.	Goals.	Free Throws.
Wilkinson	F. F.	8
Grey	L. F.	0
McKenny	C.	0
Dobson	R. B.	2
Tennin	L. B.	1
Totals		11

Referee—Joe Turner. Timer—Mr. Robinson. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.